

COE Security Update

7 September 2001

Mr. Matt O'Brien
Science Applications International
Corp.

(703) 676-5032 obrienma@saic.com

Mr. Quang Nguyen
COE Security Engineer
Defense Information Systems
Agency

(703) 735-8758



Agenda

- Secure telnet and ftp Application
- UNIX Security Lockdown
- Windows Security Lockdown



Secure telnet and ftp Application

- ☐ The SSAF Application (SSAFAP) segment (delivered 8/31) provides the capability to secure the standard telnet and ftp services (that send an unencrypted password across the wire)
- □ SSAFAP uses the encryption services of the Security Services Architecture Framework V1.2 (SSAF V1.2), and therefore requires the installation of the SSAF V1.2 segments.
- ☐ The SSAFAP segment installs on the Windows NT 4.0 & 2000, Solaris 7/8, and HP/UX 11 platforms.



SSAFAP Architecture

SSAFAP Secure telnet/ftp Client/Server Applications

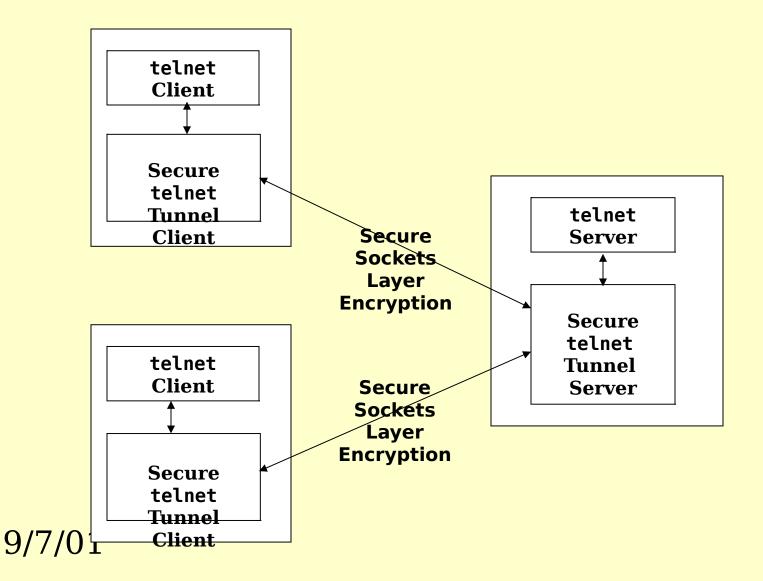
SSAFAP Secure telnet/ftp
Tunnel Client/Server
Applications

SSAFAP Segment

Security Services Architecture Framework Version 1.2 (SSAF V1.2)

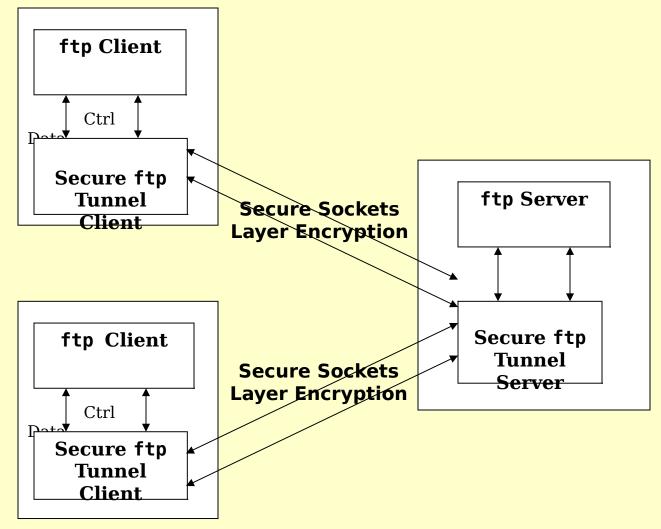


Securing telnet: The Concept





Securing ftp: The Concept



9/7/01



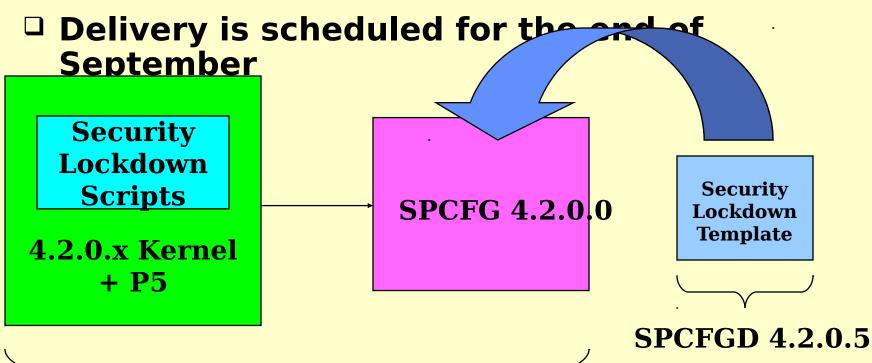
SSAFAP CONOPS Issue

- □ SSAFAP requires that the telnet and ftp services be re-enabled on the server host.
- □ SSAFAP does not replace the telnet application nor does it implement the telnet protocol, but rather redirects the data stream from an existing telnet application into the SSAFAP Secure Tunnel.
- ☐ The non-secure versions of telnet and ftp are therefore also available to users
- Should SSAFAP implement a technical solution to ensure only secure telnet



UNIX Security Lockdown

The SPCFGD 4.2.0.5 security lockdown template will re-apply the P5 security lockdown



9/7/0 UNIX Solaris Platform

Windows Security Lockdown

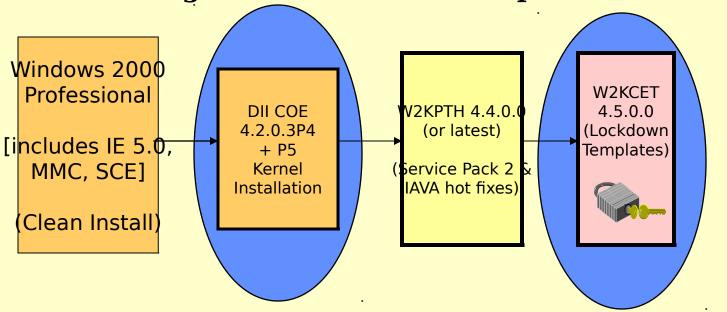
- Windows security templates (for P4 and earlier) must be applied according to the build sequence diagrams
- These templates must be applied before segment installation; otherwise, they will overwrite segment permissions due to inheritance
- □ The P5 release (4.5.0.0) of the Windows security templates will support re-applying the templates after segment installation
- □ A/7@ture release will include both pre-



Templates: Usage

Windows 2000 Build Sequence

Partial security lockdown is performed is completed with during kernel installation





Windows Security Templates:

Schedule

- The W2KCET 4.5.0.0 segment for Win2K Pro will be delivered at the end of September
- □ The MSSCET 4.5.0.0 segment for NT workstation, server and PDC will be delivered end of October
- A future release of W2KCET will provide security templates for server and Domain Controller

Windows Security Templates:

Recommendations

- □ For P4 and earlier, use the appropriate MSSCET and W2KCET segments
- □ For P5 NT (workstation, server and PDC), the kernel security lockdown provides adequate security until MSSCET 4.5.0.0 segment is available end of October



windows Security Templates: Recommendations (2)

□ For P5 Win2K Pro, an engineering drop of

W2KCET 4.5.0.0 will be available end of Sep

(formal delivery to DISA CM at same time)

□ For P5 Win2K Server and Domain Controller,

COE Security team discourages operational use

until security templates are delivered and Active